

United Methodist Church (587-9544)
North Rose, New York

October 16, 2011
Homecoming Sunday

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PRELUDE "A Friend Indeed" Osman

LIFE IN THE CHURCH
(Please pass the Fellowship Folders to those seated next to you.)

CALL TO WORSHIP Proverbs 2: 1-5

*PASSING OF THE PEACE "Peace be with you." "And also with you."
(* invites all who are able to stand to praise God)

*HYMNS OF PRAISE "Teach Me, Lord" "Speak to One Another"

OPENING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (unison)

SCRIPTURE Deuteronomy 6: 1-9 p. 157

ANTHEM "God's Little Children" Jr. Choir

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS
(Afterwards, kids age 3 through Grade 5 are welcome to go to J4J.)

*HYMN "Jesus Loves Me" p. 191

SHARING OUR JOYS & PRAYER CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER/PRAYER BOX PLACED ON ALTAR

MORNING PRAYER

RECEIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

ANTHEM "Disciples of Christ"

OFFERTORY PRAYER

MESSAGE "Learning"

*HYMN "I Love to Tell the Story" p. 156

*PRAYER OF BLESSING

*POSTLUDE "Jesus' Love Medley" Putman

We heartily welcome all visitors here this morning and hope you will return to worship with us again! Please sign the guest book by the front door.

Friendly NURSERY CARE for pre-school children is available anytime from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. It is located downstairs at the east end of the building.

You are invited downstairs for the special Homecoming Sunday punch & cookie reception following the service. This will also give you an opportunity to enjoy the display tables with memorabilia from Sunday School and Vacation Bible School.

Please keep the following people in your prayers during the coming week: Tish Bowler, Ryder Nowak; Brad & Edie Bradley; Gary & Dawn Burghdorf.

FAITH HOME: Each week we list an activity that you can enjoy as a family to help us all grow in faith. Together (or individually) write the word FAITH vertically on a sheet of paper. Using the letters in the word, FAITH, write a word, phrase, or sentence that describes your Christian life.

Next Sunday, October 23, is the date for the famous Chicken Barbecue. This will benefit the Mission Trip to Kentucky, so don't miss it! The chicken will be ready as soon as Pastor Dan pronounces the Benediction. There will be a sign-up sheet in church that morning for reservations, because they go fast.

We are planning to raise money for the 2012 Vacation Bible School by having bake sales every two months. Our next bake sale will be next Sunday, October 23. You can pick up dessert to go with your BBQ Chicken! We need people to bake items for the sale and people to buy. Thanks for supporting this great event! Any questions, please see Jennifer McKown (871-6435).

Save the date: Our church's Annual Meeting/Church Conference will be held on Sat. Oct. 29, 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Our District Superintendent, Dick Barton, will be here to chair the meeting. We will elect church officers for 2012, vote on the pastor's compensation package for 2012, and receive reports.

Our 10:30 a.m. worship services on Sunday, October 30, and also on November 20, will include the Sacrament of Baptism. If you know of parents who would like their child baptized, or teens or adults seeking baptism, please let Pastor Dan know as soon as possible (NrumcOfficeAsst@rochester.rr.com, 587-9544).

All Saints' Sunday is the day when we remember all those who have lived out their faith in their daily lives. We think of famous saints such as St. Patrick or Mother Theresa, and also those we have known personally whose quiet influence has made a difference for Christ in the world. One way to honor them is by dressing up as a saint for our worship service on October 30. (There are books on the library table which can give you lots of ideas.) Everyone who would like to do this will be invited to take part in the "Time for Young Christians," sharing for a minute or two about the life of the saint they represent. If you would like to celebrate the saints in this way, please let Pastor Dan know by Sunday, October 23, or leave a message for him by contacting the office (NrumcOfficeAsst@rochester.rr.com, 587-9544). Thanks!

Safe Sanctuary Training is part of our church's policy for all those who have supervisory responsibility in working with children/youth under age 18 and with vulnerable adults in our church's ministry. If you have not yet received this training, the next scheduled training is on Sunday, November 6, 4:30-5:30 p.m. Please sign up on the informational table at the bottom of the stairs, so we have a rough estimate of how many people to expect. If you have questions, please contact Deb Bussard (buzz5023@aol.com, 594-2467) or Scotty Martin (587-4844) or Bertha Alderman or Dan Corretore at the church office (587-9544, NRUMC@rochester.rr.com).

The annual Election Night Dinner will be held on Tuesday, November 8, with serving from 4:30-6:30 pm at the North Rose United Methodist church. It will feature turkey and biscuits with gravy, vegetables, cabbage salad, applesauce, corn bread, fruit breads, relishes, beverage, and homemade pie or cake.

Delivery service will be available. If you would like to have a dinner delivered to your home between 4:30 – 5:30 pm on November 8, call the church office – 587-9544 or Lucy Smith – 483-8297, and leave your name and phone number

Please help the UMWomen with the Christmas Luncheon and Sale on Sat. Dec. 3, by signing up to bring backed goods to sell (NO COOKIES). The sign up sheet is on the table in the fellowship hall. We are also looking for your old jewelry to sell at the luncheon. There is a box in the fellowship hall for your donation. Thank you!

Today – 11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time
1-3 p.m. MS Youth: Bowling (meet at Wolcott Bowling Alley)

Monday – 7:00 p.m. Adult Handbell Rehearsal

Tuesday – NO Jr. Choir
4:00 p.m. Girls Swim Team Dinner

Thursday – 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
7:00 p.m. Bible Study: Matthew 7: 13 -27

Saturday – 9:30 a.m. UMW Annual meeting @ Clifton Springs

Sun. Oct. 23– Stewardship Sunday
9:15 a.m. MS & HS Youth/Adult Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship: “Giving,” Matthew 6: 19-23
J4J – Joyful for Jesus (Children’s Sunday School)
11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time, VBS Bake Sale & Chicken BBQ
1:00 – 4:00 p.m. MS Youth: Corn Maze

Mon. Oct 24 – 7:00 p.m. Adult Handbell Rehearsal

Tues. Oct. 25 – 3:20 p.m. Jr. Choir Rehearsal

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We have a prayer box on the small table in the back of the sanctuary. Everyone is welcome to write prayer needs on a slip of paper and place them in the box. This prayer box is laid on the altar each Sunday. Pastor Dan takes the prayer requests home and continues to pray for these needs during the coming week. However, if you wish to keep your request known to God alone, just write “private” on the front, and Pastor Dan will not read it.

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Bathrooms are located downstairs, across from the kitchen

Check out our church website:

<http://NorthRoseNYMethodist.com>